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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

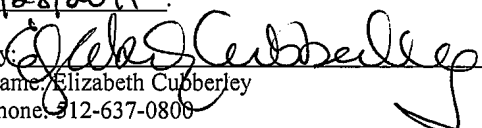
In response to the issuance of the above-referenced Patent, Applicants respectfully request a Certificate of Correction to correct the following errors in the patent:

1. Assignees - Please remove "Australian National University";
2. Column 1, Line 13 – Please change "exist" to read "exists";
3. Column 1, Line 51 – Please change "efforts brightness" to read "efforts, brightness";
4. Column 1, Line 61 – Please change "invention a" to read "invention, a";
5. Column 3, Line 4 – Please change "density and" to read "density, and";
6. Column 3, Line 28 – Please change "service" to read "surface";
7. Column 3, Line 29/30 – Please change "parallel the" to read "parallel, the";
8. Column 11, Line 41 – Please change "is meniscus" to read "and meniscus";
9. Column 17, Line 40 – Please change " $y > 0$ " to read " $y \geq 0$ ";

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Applicants' request deletion of 'Australian National University' as an Assignee. The Australian National University assigned their Interest of US Patent 7,872,242, to FEI Company, Recordation date December 18, 2007, Reel/Frame 020261/0299. The corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

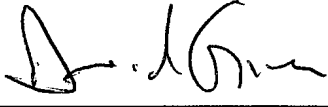
In connection with the above-identified request, applicants submit the following:

1. PTO/SB/44 Certificate of Correction.

While Applicants do not believe any fees are due as the errors were through the fault of the Patent and Trademark Office; the Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account No. 50-1635.

Respectfully submitted,

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